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54 **Vaccines.**

57 Vaccines active against coccidiosis in domestic fowls contain attenuated precocious strains of *Eimeria* species.

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